



FAQ for EuroHPC JU Call: Standards for Quantum Technologies (HORIZON-JU-EUROHPC-2026-STAND-05)

Q1: Could the granting authority please clarify if proposals submitted with project duration foreseeing less than the stipulated 36 months would be considered eligible?

A1: Taking note that the foreseen project duration of 36 months is indicative, the granting authority stresses that proposals received will be evaluated comparatively and competitively.

Q2: Could the granting authority please provide reference to the most recent ownership control declaration self-assessment document

A2: The granting authority is kindly referring to the [guidance-on-participation-in-eu-calls-with-ownership-and-control-restrictions_en.pdf](#) outlining all elements of restricted calls. Please take note that the most recent self-declaration document is reference in page 6 therein.

Q3: Could the granting authority please clarify if this action targets predominately address formal standards organizations or even is limited to those? In other words, is a consortium also eligible that includes such expertise, but its coordinator is not an ESO?

A3: Please take note that the call does not explicitly restrict eligibility to formal standards organizations. The call is open to any legal entity (e.g., research institutions, industries, SMEs, or consortia) that can demonstrate the capacity to develop and promote standards for quantum technologies. As stipulated in the call conditions, collaboration with ESOs is encouraged but not mandatory.